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Irvine, California

**Petition for Extension of Time
Under 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

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Sir/Madam:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows:

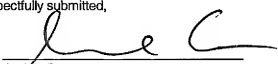
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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 01-0885. Enclosed is a duplicate copy of this sheet.

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